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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed August 8, 2005 and the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 filed concurrently herewith. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter this Preliminary Amendment and consider the following remarks.

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